

## REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This Preliminary Amendment is filed to eliminate all multiple-dependent claims, in particular claim 15 which is an improper multiple-dependent claim. In this Preliminary Amendment, claims 11 and 15 have been amended to change their multiple-dependent form, and claims 16-22 have been added. In the international application as filed, there were 15 total claims, and 1 independent claim. As of this Preliminary Amendment, there are 22 total claims and 1 independent claim. There are no multiple-dependent claims. No new matter has been added by this Preliminary Amendment.

In addition to the filing fee, Applicant hereby encloses a large-entity fee of \$100.00 to cover the cost of two additional claims over 20. The Commissioner for Patents is also hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies to or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2410, Order No. 31218-101.

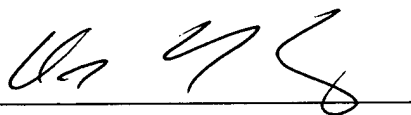
The following information is presented in the event that a call may be deemed desirable by the Examiner:

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